

who present with metastatic disease have much lower 5-year survival rates.

We must continue to support institutions that treat and care for the littlest patients because they are our nation's next generation of engineers, lawyers, doctors, painters, writers, and leaders.

We must continue to be vigilant in protecting the future of this country, which belongs to the youth.

Although his life was short, Kye Graceson Davis will live in our memories forever.

I urge my colleagues to continue supporting research measures that will protect the children of America and lead us to the elimination of childhood cancer.

HONORING THOMAS STUMP

HON. SAM GRAVES

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 12, 2018

Mr. GRAVES of Missouri. Mr. Speaker, I proudly pause to recognize Thomas Stump. Thomas is a very special young man who has exemplified the finest qualities of citizenship and leadership by taking an active part in the Boy Scouts of America, Troop 247, and earning the most prestigious award of Eagle Scout.

Thomas has been very active with his troop, participating in many scout activities. Over the many years Thomas has been involved with scouting, he has not only earned numerous merit badges, but also the respect of his family, peers, and community. Most notably, Thomas has contributed to his community through his Eagle Scout project.

Mr. Speaker, I proudly ask you to join me in commending Thomas Stump for his accomplishments with the Boy Scouts of America and for his efforts put forth in achieving the highest distinction of Eagle Scout.

CELEBRATING HALL COUNTY RESOURCE RECOVERY RECEIVING INNOVATION AWARD

HON. DOUG COLLINS

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 12, 2018

Mr. COLLINS of Georgia. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize Hall County Resource Recovery and its partners, for receiving the first-of-its-kind award for innovative recycling methods.

In the fall of 2017, Hall County Resource Recovery, Kubota, Southern Waste and Recycling, and Wilheit Packaging partnered with the goal of diverting recyclable waste from the Hall County landfill.

Through this partnership, employees from Kubota gather and place recyclables into cages provided by Wilheit Packaging. Wilheit Packaging then transports these cages to the Hall County Recycling Center, where the recyclables are unloaded, sorted by category, weighed, processed, and baled. Southern Waste and Recycling built the alliance among these companies and monitors and evaluates their sustainability practices so that they can make the most of their resources and produce the least amount of waste.

To date, 1,500 tons of fiber and 160 tons of plastics have been kept out of the landfill, helping keep Hall County clean and beautiful.

Because of this, last month the Georgia Recycling Coalition Conference awarded Hall County Resource Recovery and its partners for their innovative methods. Never before in the history of the Georgia Recycling Coalition Conference has a partnership project like this won the Innovation Award.

I celebrate Hall County Resource Recovery, Kubota, Southern Waste and Recycling, and Wilheit Packaging for the example of innovation, community building, and environmental stewardship they've set in Northeast Georgia.

HONORING THE SERVICE OF TONY MACHADO

HON. JIM COSTA

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 12, 2018

Mr. COSTA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to honor the service of Tony Machado. Mr. Machado is a Korean War veteran who served the United States of America honorably.

Tony Machado was born in Turlock, California in 1933. After graduating from Hilmar High, he worked in agriculture for a few years until he was drafted into the United States Armed Forces.

After completing basic training at Fort Ord, Tony was trained as a military policeman at the Basic Military Training School. There he received training in tactical and garrison law enforcement duties, including reports, forms, basic law enforcement tasks, security, unarmed self-defense, responding to incidents, and support activities such as convoys, checkpoints and enemy prisoner of war operations.

Once deployed to Korea, he was assigned to the legendary 15th Infantry Regiment. Arriving during the final months of the war, Tony was a member of Company A of the 15th Regiment. Despite the 1953 armistice, tensions ran high as the North Koreans constantly moved forces closer to the DMZ. Tony's MP unit provided invaluable security for convoys, directing traffic at key road junctions as well as many other duties.

Tony served seventeen months in Korea, later returning to the U.S. to assume duties at Fort Ord until his discharge as a Private First Class. For his service, he was awarded the Korea Service Medal, the United Nations Medal, the National Defense Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal.

After his service, Tony returned to agriculture, working as a dairyman, eventually operating his own dairy on Chowchilla's Road 14. He is a life member of the Chowchilla VFW Post 9896, a member of the Farm Bureau, the Cabrillo Club, Lions Club, and served as a director of the Madera District Fair. He was inducted into the Chowchilla Athletic Foundation Hall of Fame and was chosen as 2007's Chowchilla Unique Citizen of the Year by the Chamber of Commerce.

Tony continues to make his home in Chowchilla. He has six children and five grandchildren.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in paying tribute to the service of Tony Machado for his dedication to his family and his country.

RECOGNIZING MYRA PINTO

HON. THEODORE E. DEUTCH

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 12, 2018

Mr. DEUTCH. Mr. Speaker, today I rise in recognition of Myra Pinto for being named Woman of the Year for Wynmoor Hadassah, a chapter in Hadassah's Florida Broward region.

Hadassah, the Women's Zionist Organization of America, has maintained a steadfast commitment to Jewish values, women's health, and Israel since its establishment over a century ago. Serving a global community, Hadassah's volunteer work in the U.S. and in Israel sustains education and advocacy efforts for women's health and safety, for civil and human rights, and for women's economic equity. It fuels policy work in support of Israel and the American Jewish community, and it provides support for the Hadassah Medical Organization, a Nobel Peace Prize-nominated organization that treats one million patients a year and performs leading, world-renowned medical research and clinical trials.

Ms. Pinto's honor from this remarkable organization is well deserved. At 92 years old, Ms. Pinto continues to make indelible contributions to her Jewish community and Hadassah where she has served as her chapter treasurer for 5 years and counting. Her volunteer work at Wynmoor Hadassah follows a 25-year career in service of our nation's education system, during which time Ms. Pinto worked as a school secretary in a Brooklyn junior high school. In addition to her tireless work and many achievements as a professional and as a volunteer, Ms. Pinto is also a mother to a son and a daughter.

Mr. Speaker, today I ask this body to recognize Ms. Pinto for her work at the Wynmoor Hadassah Chapter and for her resolute dedication to her community.

MR. BARRY COHEN

HON. KATHY CASTOR

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, October 12, 2018

Ms. CASTOR of Florida. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to celebrate the life of a true champion for justice, Barry Cohen. His remarkable work fighting passionately for all the people of the Tampa Bay community is worthy of recognition.

Mr. Cohen graduated from Tampa's own Plant High School, earned his bachelor's from Florida State University, served in the U.S. Coast Guard and earned his law degree from one of America's oldest and distinguished institutions, the Walter F. George School of Law at Mercer University.

Mr. Cohen served his entire legal career on behalf of communities and individuals he felt were not treated fairly. His desire to help balance the scales and serve those that some would describe as in the lowliest stations stemmed from a childhood experience where he witnessed his father being mistreated by a cook at work. He successfully waged countless civil and criminal battles on behalf of those he felt needed help confronting the powerful. He never hesitated to go up against anyone if he believed a larger principle was at